

A Celebration of the Life of

Donald William Tyson

 22^{nd} September 1928 - 20^{th} August 2020

Bournemouth Crematorium

Tuesday 8th September 2020

Service conducted by Rob Hazell

Order of Service

ENTRY MUSIC Circle Of Life Elton John and Tim Rice sung by Carmen Twillie and Lebo M

WELCOME

REMEMBERING DON

REMEMBERING THE GOOD BITS from Julian

TIME FOR REFLECTION

September Song from the Broadway Show *Knickerbocker Holiday 1938* Kurt Weill and Maxwell Anderson performed by Frank Sinatra

GRAMPS

from Matt

A MONTAGE OF MEMORIES

given by Louise

POEM

The Last Journey by Timothy Coote read by Andy

There is a train at the station With a seat reserved just for me. I'm excited about its destination As there's lots for me to see.

The trials and tribulations, The pain and stress we breathe Don't exist where I am going -Only happiness, I believe.

I know that you are here To wish me on my way, It's not a journey you can join in; It's not your time today.

There'll be many destinations -Some are happy, some are sad, Each one a brief reminder Of the great times that we've had.

Many friends I know are waiting Who took an earlier train, To greet and reassure me And walk me down that lane. We'll take the time together To catch up on the past, Remembering all our loved ones And the shadows that they've cast.

One day you'll take your journey On the train, just like me, And I promise that I'll be there At the station, and you will see

That life is just a journey Enriched by those you meet; No one can take that from you, It's always yours to keep.

But now as no seat is vacant, You will have to muddle through; Enjoy each passing moment As I'll be watching you...

And if there's an occasion To mention those you knew, Speak kindly of that person As one day it will be you.

Now I can't delay this ending As it's time for me to leave... Please make haste to the reception To enjoy my drinks, they're free!



CLOSING WORDS

OUR THANKS AND FAREWELL TO DON

FAREWELL MUSIC

Always Look On The Bright Side Of Life by Eric Idle After the service, you are warmly invited to Don and Jackie's home at 22 Locksley Drive, Ferndown BH22 8JY.

Donations in memory of Don, if desired, are for **Julia's House**

Personal messages, memories and donations may be made online at www.oharafunerals.co.uk

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Kwaheri mpenzi wangu Farewell, my love